Site Name	Region: 6	INFRA or Forest Site ID 12762			
Cultus Creek CG	Forest: Gifford Pinchot	District: Mt. Adams	POREST SERVICE		
Amenities- Must have 5 of 9 Change Summary	Trash Cans ✓ Tent Site Fire Ring ✓ Drinking Wa Fee Collection ✓ Toilet Faciliti Current Situation		REA Fee Type Expanded Amenity Planned Accomplishments		
Action Requested: Fee Increase Proposed Fee: \$10.00 Start Date: 7/1/2007 Expected Annual Occupancy (%) Additional Fee Structure: Single sites (43) \$10.00/night/site; limit 6 guests and 2 vehicles. \$5/vehicle for extra vehicles. Double sites (7), \$20/night/site; limit 12 guests and 4 vehicles; \$5/vehicle for extra vehicles.	Date of Last Fee Increase: Current Fee \$5 Current Annual Occupancy (%) Additional Fee Structure:	Annual O&M: \$3,423 Deferred \$106,000 Maint. Backlog \$tart-Up Costs \$0 Current Revenue \$2,500 Predicted Revenue \$5,000 Difference in revenue associated with fee change:	Increase Hours of Operation ✓ Improve facilities / Services ✓ Reduce Deferred Maintenance ✓ Maintain Site to Standard Planned Accomplishments and Methods for Informing the Public: Planned Accomplishments: Replace one toilet. Repair/replace picnic tables; install gate to close off part of campground during low- use seasons. Improve visitor information and bulletin boards. Increase security patrols during peak season. Method to inform public: Posters and annual recreation fee accomplishement report.		
Reason for Changing Fee Fees do not cover basic costs of annual operations, maintenance and security coverage. Declining allocated funding does not make up the difference. Inflationary Increase Outcome of RSFMP Process Increase / Improve Service					
			Low Complexity		

Results of Not Implementing Fee Change Anticipate eventual elimination of services or closure/decommissioning of campground without additional fee revenue stream to supplement allocated funds. Reduce Season or Service Eliminate Season or Service Decommission Site Close Site					
Public Participation		Other Public Participation Tasks	Public Participation Results		
New Fee Minimum Tasks • Six months advance notice in Federal Register • Announcement in local media • Announcements near or in site where fee will be implemented • Briefing with federal legislators (per WO direction) • Give people an opportunity to review project plans (if completed) (from Interagency Federal Register Notice)	Fee Change Minimum Tasks • Announcement in local media • Announcements near or in site where fee will be implemented • Briefing with federal legislators (per WO direction)	Public notices were posted in campground late summer 2006.	No negative feedback received as a result of public notification efforts.		

Brief Description of Project Area

A large, 50-site, higher elevation campground. Single family and double campsites have firerings and picnic tables, garbage collection service is provided. Campground is not typically asscessible until early July when the snow melts. Receives high use mid-July to mid-August during the huckleberry picking season. Sporatic use after Labor Day though the fall hunting season. One loop will be gated to restrict use during the non-peak season; the two restrooms on this loop will be locked while the gate is locked. These actions will reduce the annual maintenance and operations work, yet the available sites will accommodate the lower use during non-peak times.